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MAYSVILLE REPUBLICAN.

THIRD YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1894.

ONE CENT.



HE WOULD:  
The hog looked at the butcher  
With a sad and penitent air,  
And asked, when near the pincing,  
"Will you meet me there?"  
—Atticus Constitution.

## MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

*What We May Expect for the Next Twenty-four Hours.*

### THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer—FAIR:

Yellow—RAIN OR SNOW:

Red—BLIZZARD ABOVE—TWILL WARMER

SNOW:

If Black's REBIRTH—COLDER IT WILL

be:

Unless Black's shown—no chance

we'll see.

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Friendship Lodge No. 43 D. of R., met tonight.

David Barnes and Mary Warren, colored, married a few days since.

Rev. A. T. Ennis has been authorized to perform the marriage ceremony.

The Circuit Court found Pat Maley guilty of violating the liquor laws.

The Chemical National Bank of New York has lost \$15,175 through its post office, the first defalcation in its history for fifty years.

With the loss of most of the county officers the Democratic loss "organ" in Mason. The Dover News will hereafter be independent in politics.

Kentucky's vote is all in at last. The total Democratic vote was \$160,650, the total Republicans \$15,577, Populist 18,142, and Prohibition 1,738.

Mr. Millard Vice and Miss Carrie Doyle, at both of Bell county, were married at the Central Hotel at 4 o'clock this morning. Judge Phister officiating.

There was a wreck of a meat wagon near THE LEDGER office yesterday afternoon. The horse fell and upset the whole capple. No one was hurt.

A handsome souvenir given with each purchase of shoes amounting to not less than \$1.25. J. HENRY PECKOR.

The members of the Degree Team of Friendship Lodge will meet the ball Friday afternoon at 7 o'clock.

No Dead Ones, but 10,000 live Turkeys wanted.

F. H. TRAXEL & CO.

### Our Holiday Offer.

Twelve Cabins and Life Size Portrait, \$100. Brosser, the Fotografer.

### Bargains in Millinery.

Trimmed Hats at half price. Bargains unsurpassed. Will sell from now until Thanksgiving our Millinery at astonishing low prices. Mrs. L. V. Davis, Zwergart's Block.

The city is squandering another lot of money on the often-rebutted gutter along the South side of Second below Short. Nothing but a sewer, and then force residents to tap it, will abate the nuisance.

There will be work in the Red Cross by Maysville Commandery next Tuesday evening.

Uncle Benjie Mills of Flemingsburg will have reached his 85th birthday on the 28th.

Fred Traxel corralled a drove of 1,500 live turkeys a few days ago and had them photographed.

The official return of West Virginia shows a Republican plurality of 18,329 on the Congressional vote.

**MAYSVILLE COMMANDERY, K. T.** will meet Monday night, when it will be decided whether or not they will give a charity ball this winter.

Everything appears to be coming Davy Day's way. He has been selected as a Jurymen for the December term of the Federal Court at Covington.

Colonel Breckinridge has announced his legal subjects as follows: "Ten Years Ago—Taff Reformers," "Andrew Jackson," "Thomas Jefferson," "Henry Clay and His Time."

Miss Mary C. McNutt, aged 52, was found dead in her bed near Morristown. She was a widow of Mr. Sam McNutt of the city and Mrs. Rufus K. Robinson of Charleston Bottom. The funeral took place yesterday.

JAMES Peirce died Thursday morning at his home in Philadelphia, aged 72 years. He was a brother of Mr. A. B. Peirce of this city and a son of the late Mr. George Peirce.

The latter left this morning for Philadelphia to attend the funeral, which will occur Sunday. He is the only survivor of the family.

Free turnpikes are in sight in Fayette county. Several pikes are already open and nearly all of them will be free in a year or two. The County Court is buying up the stock and the expense of purchase and maintenance of the roads is borne equally by the taxpayers of the county.

The Democratic majority in the state, as compared by the Secretary of State in the Congressional election, is 2,173. This is a falling off in the Democratic vote of 50,328. This is not taking into consideration that six thousand votes given Keys, Populist, in the First District, were Republi-

cans.

The Circuit Court was engaged yesterday hearing the cases against the Mayville and Lexington, Mason and Bracken, Mayville and Orangeburg, and Mayville and Mt. Sterling Turnpike Compa-

nies, all four of which had been indicted for charging excessive tolls. The com-

panies demurred, and after exhaustive argument the demurred were sustained.

The widow of the late Sep D. Clarke, through her attorneys, Hanson Kennedy and G. A. Cassiday, has filed suit in the Fleming Circuit Court against the L. and N. Railroad Company for \$90,000 damages, alleging that the death of her husband was occasioned by the willful neglect of the company in failing to keep its tunnel in proper repair.

Mrs. Charles C. Degman of Springfield has the Editor's thanks for a pumpkin large enough to make pies for himself and all his neighbors for the rest of the winter. An attempt was made to weigh it, but it wrecked a pair of coal scales that registered several tons. We promptly settled the damages and secured a four-horse team to convey the monster home.

The News says Judge A. E. Cole of this city has purchased J. E. McKinley's interest in the Dover Canning Factory.

Captain W. H. R. Markley of Foster was considerably bruised by being dragged by an electric car in Covington. He was about to get off the car while in motion and stepped in the opposite direction from which the car was going. He was dragged about sixty feet.

### DEMOCRATIC PARENTAGE.

**Mr. Editor:** Under whose Administration was the Civil Service reform brought before the public, and what year?

### OLD READERS.

In brief, our valued readers are informed that the Civil Service reform movement was agitated under several Administrations, beginning with that of Mr. Lincoln. It was first proposed by Senator Jencks of Rhode Island, and afterwards championed by Senator B. Gratz Brown of Missouri. It was a fact that until 1883, when Senator George H. Pendleton of Ohio, who was Chairman of the Civil Service Committee, took an active part in the movement, it did not receive much attention.

During the Garfield-Arthur Administration, the law was changed from time to time, so that if the late Mr. Pendleton should meet it in the middle of the road he wouldn't know it.

### WANT A MOSES.

**Kentucky Democrats are Looking for a Leader.**

A special from Frankfort to The Com

mmercial Gazette says it has been talked around there that a number of Democratic politicians, among whom are alleged to be ex-Speakers W. M. Moore, C. C. DeMarest, Q. W. Wilcox, and others of Cincinnati, Judge Charles Helm of New Haven, State Senator Garrett S. Wall of Mayville, and others, have been making overtures to secure the withdrawal of two of the candidates for the Democratic nomination for Governor, General P. W. Pendleton and Hon. C. M. Clay, Jr.

The canvass between Mr. Clay and General Hardin has been rapidly approaching a point of bitterness, which promises to make the contest between them exceedingly hot.

It is also said that these conferences have led to the conclusion that this sort of a step is necessary in order to save the whole Democratic ticket from defeat next year.

At present General Hardin is generally regarded as the lead for the nomination, and the prospect for his winning, it is said, has discouraged the party leaders, who regard him as an easy mark for the Republicans if he should be the Democratic nominee.

General Hardin was for twelve years Attorney General, and is naturally regarded as a part of the ancient machinery which has been maintaining the state government for many years.

Mr. Clay is not regarded as able to meet Colonel Bradley on the stump, and therefore he is not considered as an acceptable candidate either.

It is claimed that if the deal could be worked by retiring both of the present candidates, Congressman James B. McCreary would be entered. It is thought McCreary would add considerable strength to the ticket. There seems to be no likelihood of the negotiations going through.

Captain Robert Neal, a prominent Oddfellow, died at Vanceburg. He was the brother of Judge A. Bent Neal, the lawyer and politician.

**Statewide Kentucky Reunion.**  
On account of the above occasion the C. & O. will sell round trip tickets May 1st to August 1st and return at one fare, 50 cents, on November 30th, good returning on the 9th or December 1st. Trains leave at 5:30 or 9 a. m. Only 90

### Return Engagement.

There is perhaps no phase of the romantic production which marks so strongly the difference between the modern presentations and those of the early days of the drama of comedy. In recent years, as the scenic setting with which plays are now surrounded. There were then and are still, satanic Mephistos and love-lorn Fausts, animated Dame Marthas and tender and affectionate Marguerites, but the Mephistos, Fausts and Marthas of to-day have the advantage over their predecessors in moving amid scenes that create an atmosphere of reality about them and aid the imagination by presenting scenes and places, the counterpart of where their modern tragic occurred. Such will be the production of Manager Church will be to this city, and it will be eight when the stage will be filled by a series of interesting pictures, showing the locality made famous by the immortal locality.

**OUR AGENTS.**  
The following are authorized Agents for THE PUBLIC LEDGER in their respective localities:

Ministers—Frank W. Hawes.  
Springdale—C. C. Degman.  
Lancaster—J. C. Johnson.  
Federals—Mrs. Jennie Stewart.  
Anderson—Kelly & Forworthy.  
Audubon—Joseph W. Williams.  
Blowdown—John H. Miller.  
Denton—Thad F. Moore.  
McMinn—John C. Moore.

Subscribers will save the trouble of letter-writing by paying their subscriptions to the agent at their place.

### SPRINGDALE.

Mrs. Elizabeth Doyle of Maysville is visiting relatives here.

Dr. John C. Morris of Covington was calling on friends here Tuesday.

Miss Tillie Applegate, who has been very ill for some time, is able to be out again.

Our school is progressing nicely under the wise and intelligent guidance of H. C. Wilson of Orangeburg.

Albert Emmons has moved into the tollygate house lately vacated by Professor W. W. Wilson and George and Anna.

C. C. DeMarest has a herd in the crib about 1,000 bushels of corn, and has about 500 more yet to gather.

Miss Azaria Weaver left Wednesday for her home town, where she expects to make up her future home.

Victor Emmons was accidentally shot by his brother Harley Saturday last. The ball entered the leg just above the knee, inflicting a painful but not dangerous wound.

### MORANBURG.

Hog killing is the order of the day now.

Miss Emma Eitel gave a dance last week.

Miss Becca Brittan gave a dance last week.

Mr. Lee Scott of Bath county is visiting relatives here.

Miss Anna Lindsay of Manchester is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. T. Marsh.

Mr. Will Moran has a hog to die one day this week from what was supposed to be a bullet. The hog was cleaned and hung up with soap grease. That night some thief stole it.

In a letter from Miss Jessie Moran, who is visiting in Oklahoma, she says she has never seen such a country as this. The people live in dugouts as houses, built in the ground. Deer, antelope and wild game are plenty here. The hog was cleaned and hung up with soap grease. It is common to hear them growling and snarling.

Our community was shocked Wednesday morning by the death of Miss Mary McNutt. She had been in failing health recently. Her brother was here about her brother's arrival started the fire and went out to do his feeding. Returning to the house and finding she was not up, ran out to call for help. Found her dead. Dropsey of the heart is the supposed cause of her death.

**COUNTY FAIR.**  
The Citizen Coal Company on Commerce street, Fifth Ward, have received a fresh supply of Pomona Coal, equal to

the Peacock Coal, and will sell delivered, for cash, as cheap as any in the market. All orders promptly filled.

J. HAMILTON, Agent.

All those who have engaged space in the new and big Thanksgiving Edition are respectfully requested to hand in their "copy" as soon as possible. It requires time to "set up" big advertisements, and the more time the printers have the better work they can do.

**NO Charge!** Advertisements inserted in the heading of "real estate" and "business" columns are \$10.00 per month.

Wanted—"Lost," "Found," &c., of an acceptable nature, and not to exceed three lines, on this page, are FREE to all.

No Business Advertisements inserted with personal names.

If answers fail to come to the time, we create many repetitions as are necessary to secure what you advertise for. We wish the advertisers to know that they are not impeded in by having frequent columns.

Advertisements can be left at our office or sent through the mail to

THE PUBLIC LEDGER COMPANY.

No. 19, E. Third Street.

WANTED.—A good boy, 12 to 14 years old, to work at the office.

WANTED.—A young man to work at the office, 12 to 14 years old, to work at the office.

WANTED.—A good boy, 12 to 14 years old, to work at the office.

FOR RENT.—House on High street, Fifth Ward, containing four rooms. Apply to JOHN WHEELER, Manufacturer.

FOR SALE.—Telephone Key and Number. Apply to W. C. BELLINGER.

LOST.—

I OBTAIN the person who lost my pig, away from home Sunday does not bring back to me. I will be very grateful if you will return it.

J. M. C. BELLINGER.

FOUDRE.—Hand carried containing several small articles. Owner can have same by calling at 22 Main Street.

POUND-ROUNDS.—Hand carried containing several small articles. Owner can have same by calling at 22 Main Street.

## SOME REAL GOOD NEWS FOR CLOTHING BUYERS

Our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale Begins Thursday, November 22d.

You know what this means—you can buy better goods for less money than you can buy in any other house in the state.

At this time it is not a question of how much profit we can make; it is a question of the least loss we can incur to rid ourselves of a tremendous stock of goods to realize money to pay for our purchases. Below you will find a few of the leading garments we offer in this sale:

We have about fifty of extra fine BEAVER OVERCOATS, cut and trimmed in extreme latest style (especially made for us) that are made to sell for \$30 to \$35. choice....

If you can match these garments Cincinnati for 20 per cent, more, we will return you the money and you keep the coat.

SEVENTY-FIVE DRAB and BROWN KERSEY BEAVER OVERCOATS, worth \$11.50, at.....

6.50

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY SUITS, ALL WOOL, Cheviot and Cashmere, in dark and medium fall and winter shades, worth and sold everywhere at \$13 to \$16. ....

9.50

SIXTY-FOUR GREY and BROWN MELTON OVERCOATS, Cheap at \$10. ....

5.75

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE SUITS in Grey, Blue and Black Cheviot, double and single breasted Sacks, worth and sold everywhere at \$15 to \$18. ....

12.00

### MONEY REFUNDED IF THE PURCHASE DOES NOT PROVE SATISFACTORY WHEN YOU HAVE THEM HOME.

IN THIS SALE you take choice of our best CHEVIOT SUITS

that are worth and sell at \$15 to \$25, for.....

Compare with any suit in any Clothing House in the country; if not we will refund your money.

THREE FIVE EXTRA FINE BLUE and BLACK CASTOR BEAVER OVERCOATS, extra long, very stylish, at.....

If these can be duplicated elsewhere for less than \$18.50 to \$30. we will make you a present of one of them.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE BOYS' CAPE OVERCOATS, worth \$10 to \$15. ....

2.25

FORTY BLUE and BROWN CHINCHILLA OVERCOATS, worth \$12. at.....

6.75

OUR TERMS FOR ALL GOODS BOUGHT at advertised prices when the goods are taken out of the house. No deviation from **CASH!**

There are hundreds of us great, if not greater, bargains in this Sacrifice Sale that we have not space enough to describe, but will gladly show you through them. We are going to give you bigger values in this sale than we ever did, and are going to make it the most Sensational Clearance Sale that was ever organized.

Sale begins Thursday, the 22d, and continues until we have unloaded our stock and loaded up our bank account.

**HECHINGER & CO., The Oddfellows' Hall Clothing House.**



## INDEMNITY.

Japan is Tendered a Stupendous Sum by China.

The Amount is 100,000,000 Taels and the War Expenses of Japan.

China Knows the Wig is Up and Wants to Settle.—At Washington the Amount is Considered Excessive, and a Smaller Sum May Be Agreed Upon.

HONOLULU, Nov. 23.—It is reported that China has intimated that she will offer to pay a war indemnity of 100,000,000 taels, and in addition pay all the war expenses incurred by Japan.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—In accordance with a suggestion of the Chinese state department has notified Minister Dun, at Tokio, and Mr. Denby, at Pekin, to transmit such direct offer as China may wish to make to Japan. At present, however, there is no time to determine whether China will consent to make an offer direct and definite, as Japan insists must be done.

An Associated Press cable from Japan states that China has intimated her willingness to pay an indemnity of 100,000,000 taels, and in addition pay all the war expenses incurred by Japan.

As the war expenses reach 150,000,000 taels, the total offer of China would be 250,000,000 taels, or \$12,500,000 in silver coin worth about seventy-five cents at the present exchange, so that the whole payment would be approximately \$175,000,000 American. This amount is regarded here as quite large, and the nations involved have agreed that the terms offered could be effected on terms providing for a smaller war indemnity. Diplomats here say that under ordinary circumstances it would be difficult for China to formally present its offer to Minister Denby, but owing to the fact that the Japanese are now at the walls of Port Arthur, about to make the last blow at China's greatest fortress, it is anticipated that the Chinese will make their negotiations to a conclusion.

It is expected that Minister Denby will transmit the offer by telegraph to Tsin Tsin and Shanghai, and thence by cable to Yokohama.

The understanding is that China and Japan will pay the expenses of the American ministers incident to the negotiation.

The advance on Port Arthur is regarded as having an important bearing on the peace negotiations.

LIEUT. M. V. L. YOUNG, commanding officer of the Japanese legation here, says the advance movement has been most cautious, as the ground for forty miles around Port Arthur has been found fairly alive with Japanese troops, and the electric wires to Port Arthur. Three days ago the Japanese were within a day's march of the fortress, but it was necessary to send ahead small scouting parties to pick a route away from the minefield.

The regular roads could not be used for the artillery, as it would have been blown up, and accordingly the big guns have had to be moved in circuitous routes through woods and morasses. In a week's time the last of the tedious march will have been completed. This day, and the Japanese legation is hourly expecting worse than the decisive blow has been struck, though a long siege is needed before the fortress can be taken, one of the strongest defenses of modern times.

It is believed that a Japanese success would quickly close the peace negotiations, but that a repulse would impel China to hold off further.

**Whitworth is Dead.**

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 23.—George K. Whitworth died Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock, having lived eight days after the tragedy in which he played so important a part. He sent two pistol balls through his body after he had assumed a position in front of the window. The wounds were so severe it was thought death would ensue almost immediately, but proved remarkably tenacious of life. He sank into a stupor at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, but became conscious again a short while before death.

**Gen. Booth in Chicago.**

CINCINNATI, Nov. 23.—The court of appeals of the District of Columbia has affirmed the conviction and sentence for Messrs. Chapman and Macaray, the indicted recalcitrant sugar trust investigation witnesses, for an appeal from the recent decision of the court of appeals.

Gen. John C. Booth, who has been testing committee knew of the shipmen.

**Sugar Trust Witnesses Appeal.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The Figaro Thursday evening said that the attempt had been made to burn the entire fleet of new drydock gun which was shipped in padlocked cases to Calais and Boulogne by the minister of war. The attempt to obtain possession of these patterns is said to have been made on November 14, and it is believed that the admiral except the president of the artillery testing committee knew of the shipmen.

**Treasury Somewhere.**

FARIBOROUGH, N.H., Nov. 23.—Kearney Brown, aged 22, went to his father's home on Thursday and raised a quarrel with the family. Mrs. Brown, foreseeing trouble, called to Lewis Moore, a police officer, and he arrived. Mr. Moore came in Brown was in the act of shooting his father, but was frustrated by Moore, who, in trying to secure the revolver, received the bullet above the heart. The wound is probably fatal.

Longmeadow, Mass., Nov. 23.—John Moore, a married man and the father of four small children, is said Brown was intoxicated.

**Terribly Burned by Powder.**

GALLIPOLIS, O., Nov. 23.—Divil Williams, a miner living at Vinton, the county seat of Wood County, W. Va., was pouring a keg of powder into a dish when a spark from his lamp fell into the vessel, igniting about twenty-four pounds of powder. It exploded with terrific force. Williams, his eyestalks destroyed and his left ear burned off. He can no longer hear. His suffering is dreadful.

**More Smallpox at Dearborn.**

ALLIANCE, O., Nov. 23.—Two more cases of smallpox were reported from Dearfield Thursday, those of Edward Randall and his daughter. They were sent to the hospital of Western Reserve Hospital, where his son broke out with the disease. Young Hazzard is the faith curist who recklessly exposed himself to the disease. All business is suspended in the town, and no meetings of any kind are allowed.

**Earthquake at Tacoma.**

TOACOMA, Wash., Nov. 23.—Several slight shocks of earthquake were felt here. Windows were rattled throughout the city. The first shock, accompanied by a roar of people, was at the fortress, which was one of the strongest defenses of modern times.

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**Gold Coming In.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The New York agency of a large Canadian institution has received from its correspondents at San Francisco \$250,000 in gold with the last two days, and \$100,000 gold has been shipped to the Bank of Montreal to its agency in this city for the purpose of subscribing to the government loan. A Wall street banking firm with Park and San Francisco connections, is also receiving small parcels of gold from abroad.

**An Femmes Put Is.**

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 23.—Gov. Pennoyer, speaking in reference to Japan's reply to the offer of mediation by this government, says: "I see that the Japanese government has followed my advice in remanding Franklin Cleveland to stand to his own business. For the sake of the country, the president ought not to have allowed himself to be snubbed the second time."

**The Great Wedding Next Monday.**

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 23.—A St. Petersburg dispatch to the Daily News says it is stated that Czar Alexander left a document to be opened nine days after his death. When the document was opened it was found to contain an entreaty of Czar Nicholas to marry Pauline. All directly after the funeral. Hence the wedding has been fixed to the 24th on Monday.

## VERY WARLIKE.

The Tone of the Mexican Papers is Favor of a Scrap With Guatemala.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 23.—A Universal of Thursday contained a very warlike article regarding the Mexican-Guatemalan troubles. It says:

"In consequence of the continued attack against Mexico and her government, it is now rumored Wednesday morning this country would declare diplomatic relations with Guatemala at an end."

Contending it makes the following observations on Mexican and Mexican fighting qualities: "In Guatemala they say the Mexicans always fled before the Americans and the French."

"The world knows that the Mexican soldier does not turn his back, Churruca, Chapultepec, Pueblo, etc., are witnesses of that."

With Guatemala we do not expect glory or the gaining of laurels. We have offered no friendship and they return such ingratitude, a man to our people are not in a humor to listen to the diatribes of the Guatemalan press."

## GHASTLY FIND.

Thirty Bodies Piled Together in the Murders' Cave in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 23.—A hideous crime has just been made near the town of Chiribintz, in the state of Michoacan, by a freighter named Paulino Gomez.

The find consisted of thirty human bodies in an advanced state of decomposition and piled one upon another in a cave, which was almost impenetrable on account of the stench arising therefrom.

Antonio Jiminez, a native of the town, and a freighter by occupation, had his head mashed by a jolty by a bullet. The next victim was Paulino Gomez, another man, was robbed and murdered for his money at the same place shortly afterward.

Fascino, brother of the last victim, who engaged in searching for him, came to the discovery, which explains many mysterious murders which have occurred in Michoacan in the last few months by a notorious gang of bandits.

**The Car Depressed in Spirit.**

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—A letter from St. Petersburg says that Emperor Nicholas is suffering greatly from insomnia, and is consequently very much depressed in spirits. The czarina has become very much emaciated as the result of her vigils at the bedside of her husband.

Longmeadow, Mass., Nov. 23.—A dispatch from the Che Foo to the Central News says that all the vessels of the Japanese fleet now at Taliens-Wan, and troops are marching southward to attack Port Arthur. The Chinese there are making preparations to repel the Japanese.

The Chen Yuen possibly came out to attack the Japanese fleet, which is to sweep the coast, and the Chinese themselves had placed in the harbor as a means of defense.

With the loss of the Chen Yuen, China becomes practically powerless on the water.

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At Portland, Me., the result of the chemical analysis of the stomach of the late Mr. Johnson is known to have revealed the presence of hydrochloric acid to cause death. Mr. Woodbury was insured for \$100,000 in the New York Life and Mutual Life Insurance companies. Litigation will result.

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**A Little Girl Kidnapped.**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 23.—Alma Howard, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Charles Howard, a Northwest railroad official, is missing from home under circumstances that warrant the suspicion that she was kidnapped.

The entire police force, including the central station detail of detectives, is on the alert to find the girl. Her disappearance has caused a general alarm.

**Unhasted.**

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**Terrible Disaster.**

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 23.—William Harvey, the celebrated inventor of the Harvey bread, died at his home on Monument square in this city, at 6 o'clock Thursday evening, in his seventy-fourth year.

**A Postmaster in Trouble.**

PORTSMOUTH, O., Nov. 23.—Postmaster Baker, of the Oliver Street tower, is in trouble over the failure of his men to quantity to reach headquarters.

He has witnesses that he sealed the report and money for transmission, and his friends believe he will come out all right.

**Every Stable Burned.**

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—The Cunard Catalonia, which was due in port last Monday, has yet to arrive. The fire in the stable, Kansas, which sailed from Liverpool two days before the Catalonia left, has not yet been sighted.

**Every Stable Burned.**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 23.—Two fire here Thursday morning destroyed Riley Baker's livery stable, together with six horses, twelve vehicles and all the hay and corn in stock. It also damaged several adjoining houses. Total loss, \$6,000.

**Mr. Baader Causes Excitement.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Great excitement has been caused throughout the Puget sound country by what is looked upon as an eruption of Mount Tacoma, or Ranier, of 14,444 feet high and one of the loftiest peaks in the state.

**George D. Teller, for many years land and traveling agent of the Union Pacific railroad, died at Buffalo, N.Y., of apoplexy. He was 75 years of age.**

## THE CHEN YUEN,

China's Greatest Battle Ship, Rendered Worthless.

The Celestials Are Now Practically Powerless on the Water.

The Great Vessel is Beached, and Commodore Lin, Who Was in Command, Attended Official Commendation by Committing Suicide.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The navy department received a cable from the Chinese government on Thursday morning, stating that this country would declare war on Mexico and her government.

On the 21st, it was rumored Wednesday morning that the Chinese would declare war on Mexico and her government.

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## CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the World by

Wm. Wickwire and sister, who lived five miles south of Galesburg, Mich., were murdered by tramps.

A white swan, measuring three feet from tip to tip, wings was recently shot near Jefferson, Ind.

The cornerstone of the institution for the feeble-minded at Polk, Pa., was laid Thursday afternoon by Gov. Patterson.

The National Fraternal congress did its last day's work in Buffalo, N. Y., Thursday, electing officers and adjourning.

Brig. Gen. James W. Forsyth the army and San Francisco Thursday and assumed command of the department of California.

Jacob Von Bonvill, sr., of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, aged 70 years, was found dead in his bed with his wife. He had been walking with his wife in the hills.

The gambling booth in Madison, Ill., known as "Monte Carlo," closed Thursday.

The proprietors and their employees left to escape arrest on indictments.

The seven miners charged with

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